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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Bernd Laudenberg

Serial No.: 09/024,510

Group Art Unit 3751

Filed: February 17, 1998

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR FILLING FLEXIBLE POUCHES

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
ATTN: Box Missing Part
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for a ONE (1) month extension of time to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (Filing Date Granted) mailed April 21, 1998. Our check in the amount of \$120.00 for the small entity surcharge and one month extension fee is attached hereto.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1180. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

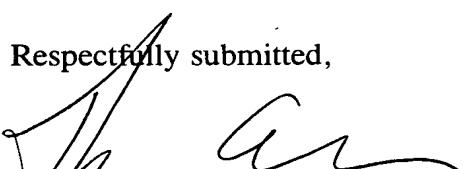
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02 FC:215 If the Examiner has any further questions relating to this Application, Applicant's attorney may be reached at (248) 647-6000.

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Respectfully submitted,


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